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M.A. Entrance Examination – Linguistics

Time: 10:00 AM to 11:30 AM
Note: ALL sections are compulsory

Maximum marks 50
Date : 27.07.2021

SECTION A

Write an essay (500 words) on ANY TWO of the following (15 marks each) 30 Marks

1. In your opinion, should monolingualism be preferred as a language policy over multilingualism? Why?
2. What do you understand by the term 'grammar'? Do dialects of a language have grammar?
3. Describe the interface between language and technology.
4. What is a script? How is script related to language? Give some examples.

SECTION B

Write Short notes on ANY FOUR the following (5 marks each) 20 Marks

1. The language of literature
2. Language loss among tribal communities
3. Child language
4. Use of mother tongue as medium of school instruction
5. Language of news reporting
6. The importance of documenting languages
